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Luzerne — For a quiet restful week end, away from the state capital, what we need is a place of our own up in the North Country, I said, pulling out a state highway map.

The Missus took a look.

"See this patch of green," I pointed to the point "It stretches from Kalkaska to Harrisville. It blankets the AuSable State Forest to the west and the Huron National Forest to the east. Here the North begins.

Right in the center of this green, east to west, is the town of Luzerne. And just to the north is the AuSable River, famous for trout. Pines and hardwood. Lots of fresh air. No dust. No automobile traffic. Solitude day and night. Yes, that's the spot for us."

And so we signed a land lease with the Consumers Power Company which owns much of the river land west from its Mio hydro-electric plant. That was four years ago.

Our war-time cabin fund had financed purchase in 1947 of a mobile cabin-on-wheels, a snug 19-foot house trailer. Since we spent occasional week ends there, it had seemed a shame to fence in the 40 acres and to put up signs.

From the high bank is a commanding view of a scenic river bend. Three springs provide cold water in great abundance.

Verily a dream place for a quiet week end.

We arrived late Friday in great anticipation.

Thirty minutes later an automobile from Pontiac pulled up to a birch grove west of the high banks. A tent soon appeared, and with it two men, a woman, a boy and a dog.

"I've been camping at this spot for years," enthused one of the men. "Beautiful view, ain't it?"

Four more kindred souls seeking peace in the North Country, I surmised. So I invited them to stay.

Saturday morning after I finished up cleaning up the rubbish by deer hunters the night before, two fly fishermen appeared in an ancient car. Where glass windows had once been, fly rods stuck out. Parking the car carelessly at the bank, the men descended the bank carrying a basket filled with bottled beer and there camped for the day.

By twilight the parade of automobiles, bringing more fishermen and sight-seers had worn a deep rut in the road by the trailer. The Missus closed the trailer windows. "Too much dust," she said.

I'm not sure I heard her. The campers' dog was howling for food. And some one had left a car radio going full blast.

Then the fishermen with "rubber doughnuts" appeared. Laden down with creel and equipment, they descended the bank to the AuSable amid farewells of their families. Studied the fish. They would float down to the Red Oak Bridge, two miles downstream. Our guests explained they "always" pushed off from this spot.

Other tourists arrived with canoes or boats.

"Where can I put this boat in the river?" was the usual query.

Like a traffic cop presiding over a busy street, I volunteered detailed instructions to each guest.

"Drive down the trail to the first bend. Park your car there. Carry the canoe down the footpath to the river's edge. A swell place."

Across the river, down at the bend, two men were putting up the tent. They had engaged the Indian Trail Lodge on Kellogg Road to furnish lumber. The easiest way to deliver it was by boat: ferrying the supplies across the stream from our camp, and all with automobile horn signals and put-putting of an outboard motor.

Our Sunday guests included a fellow who took possession of a deep trout hole near the springs outlet. Well by actual count, more than 60 persons — men, women, children and pets — swarmed over our leased land in one week end. Fly rods to the left. Canoes to the right.

It suddenly dawned on us that a lot of other folks had traveled to the spacious North Country, too, in quest of solitude and relaxation. It also dawned on us that we were vastly outnumbered—a good 30 to 1—as to enjoyment of this popular AuSable camping and fishing spot. The place fairly shouted, "Don't fence me in!"

Who are we to dispossess so many people of their pleasure? Anyhow, we're too tired!

Nature Lubbers

IF IT'S ST. PETER YOU'D BE SEEN!
SMOKE WHILE POURING GASOLINE

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Change Rules Of Canoe Race

Several rule changes governing the Second Annual Michigan Canoe Championships were made at a meeting held at Mio last Wednesday evening. Members of the Canoe race committee from Oscoda, AuSable, Mio and Grayling were present.

The rules changes that were made are as follows: A previous age limitation of 45 years was waved opening the race for men from 18 years of age upwards; Because of night paddling any type light will be permitted; Contestants are expected to furnish own food and water; entries may carry additional paddles or other needed equipment.

The marathon race for \$1,400 in cash prizes with medals and merchandise prizes as well will leave Grayling at 3:30 on Saturday, September 11 and start at Mio in Oscoda at about noon on Sunday, September 12. Last year's victors, Allen Carr and Delbert Case, both of Grayling, finished the grueling run in 21 hours and 3 minutes.

The entry fee has been set at \$5 per man for this year's contest by the committee. The printing of entry blanks and publicity folders was set at the meeting and Charles Monroe of AuSable was named general secretary for the race. Ray Snider of Grayling is general chairman of the committee and Orson Sherwood of Mio is vice chairman.

Ernest Borchers of Grayling will be in charge of the race's start as starting chairman, while Ray King of Oscoda is finish chairman.

Judges for the race will be Mayors of Grayling, Mio, Oscoda, East Tawas and Tawas City.

Last year 15 teams out of an entered 46 team field finished the race under ideal weather conditions. With the same break in the weather, it is thought quite possible that the record set by the two champions from Grayling might be broken. A larger field than last year is expected to enter the 24 mile marathon down the AuSable to Lake Huron, symbolic of the trail of the Indians and fur traders.

The budget set for the participating towns was as follows: Grayling \$600; Oscoda \$600; Mio \$200, and East Tawas \$200.

Any person desiring to donate towards Grayling's share of the budget may do so by forwarding a check or personally handing cash to George Quinn, secretary-treasurer of the Grayling Chamber of Commerce. In the near future, some Grayling person will be named to handle local finances on the canoe race, but in an attempt to get an early start on the fund, it will be handled by the Chamber officer.

County Teacher Attends Education Work Shop

Big Rapids—Elmira M. Heath of Grayling, a Crawford county rural teacher, has concluded her work at the Rural Education Work Shop at Ferris Institute on Friday evening and returned to her home to prepare for the opening of school early in September.

Miss Heath reports 130 teachers from 30 counties attended the institute and that with the teacher shortage continuing, salaries are remaining high with many new prospective teachers to attend college. The teacher training school at Ferris has a heavy inquiry for September 6 and 7, with classes opening September 8, and a heavy enrollment is looked for.

In fact, all departments are receiving many inquiries and the school heads indicate a large attendance in the College of Commerce, College of Pharmacy, College of Preparatory and the School of Trades and Industry.

WHAT - WHERE - WHEN

- Youth Fellowship, M. M. Church each Sunday evening at 7:30.
- Every Wednesday, Legion Drum and Bugle Corps practice at Legion Hall.
- V. F. W. will meet the first and third Tuesday of every month, Grange Hall, 8 o'clock.
- V. F. W. Auxiliary will meet the first and third Monday of every month, Grange Hall, 8 o'clock.
- Regular meetings of Grayling Council, Knights of Columbus, first Tuesday of each month at St. Mary's Hall, Grayling.
- Third Tuesday of each month at St. Michael's Hall, Roscommon.
- City Council meeting at City Hall on first Monday of every month, 7:30 P. M. Citizens invited.
- American Legion, 8:00 P. M., Legion Hall. Second Monday, business; 4th Monday, social.
- Grange meetings, the 1st and 3rd Saturdays of each month at Grange Hall in afternoon.
- Local Order of the Moose at 8 P. M. on the second and fourth Wednesday of each month.
- American Legion Auxiliary, 8:00 P. M. Legion Hall, 2nd Tuesday, social.
- July 14—Hospital Aid, Nurses' Home, 2 P. M.
- July 14—Lutheran Jr. Aid, 8:00 P. M. at the home of Mrs. Chas. Mosher, 804 Maple St.

CLARA L. SHAW LAID TO REST

Final rites were read Friday, July 2nd at 2 P. M. at the Sorenson Funeral Home for Clara L. Shaw, who passed away June 30, at her home in Shaw's Park "down river" following a five year illness. Interment was in Elmwood Cemetery. Rev. F. Crompton of Detroit officiating.

Mrs. Shaw is survived by her husband, daughters, Mrs. Henry Hissong of Detroit and Mrs. Viri Sunday of Grayling, four grandchildren, two great-grandchildren and two brothers, Charles Barrett of Detroit and Harvey Barrett of Elkhart, Indiana. She was born December 11, 1882 to Mr. and Mrs. George Barrett. She married Wilfred Shaw on September 30, 1901, at Custer, Michigan and lived in Detroit and Grand Rapids before coming to Grayling. She was a member of the Ironsides Baptist Church of Detroit.

Relatives and friends from Detroit, Grand Rapids and Pentwater were here to attend the funeral.

Start Stream Improving Work

Thirteen stream improvement crews will be in the field this month, the first of a fiscal year that has the largest lake and stream improvement budget — \$200,000 — in Michigan history.

O. H. Clark of the Conservation Department's fish division, who directs the work of improving Michigan waters for fishing, reports that besides the current work in trout streams and the customary brush shelter installations in lakes in the fall, the year's program includes the clearing of other kinds of fish from 10 potential trout lakes and preliminary work on five dams.

The stream improvement crews are now at work in the middle branch of Ontonagon river in Gogebic county, east branch of the Fox in Schoolcraft County, West Branch of the Sturgeon in Cheboygan County, the Manistee in Crawford County, North Branch of AuSable in Crawford and Oscego Counties, Bear Creek in Manistee County, White River, Newaygo County, and Huron River, Washtenaw County. Before the end of the month work will be in progress also on the Big Cedar, Menominee County, the Firesteel in Ontonagon County, the Pigeon in Cheboygan County, the Pere Marquette in Lake County and the Huron in Huron County.

Wings dams and current deflectors of sheet piling and logs, and half-ton concrete blocks are being installed in the trout streams to dig pools, speed the current to scour silt from the bottom, to protect the pools, or protect the stream from bank erosion, according to the needs of the particular spot. Some planting is being done for streamside cover and soil stabilization.

Greyhound Opens Huge Detroit Bus Garage

Great Lakes Greyhound opened the largest bus maintenance garage in the United States, Monday, July 12, R. W. Budd, President of Great Lakes Greyhound Lines announced today. Located at 2801 West Lafayette Boulevard, Detroit, the huge two-storyed garage and office building occupies two whole city blocks bordered by Lafayette, 15th, Fort and 17th Streets.

Detroit's Mayor Eugene W. Anwerp cut the blue and white ribboned tape to initiate the opening ceremonies. Top Greyhound executives, including Orville S. Cates, president, and R. A. L. Bogan, executive vice president, also attended. Industrial, state and civic leaders, and newspaper representatives from many cities served by Great Lakes Greyhound Lines, were guests of the company.

Completion of the new center writes another chapter in the post-war development of company plans for the nationwide improvement of its facilities.

Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schultz of Grayling, announce the engagement of their niece, Miss Helen Madson to Arthur Sidman, son of Mrs. Kermit Bolton of Grayling. Wedding plans are being made for early fall here.

Miss Madson is now working in Saginaw, while Mr. Sidman is employed in Detroit by the Detroit News.

Night Driving Knowledge Needed To Prevent After-Dark Accidents

This is the seventh of a series of 10 articles on street and highway safety, written by nationally recognized accident prevention specialists and published by this newspaper in the interests of greater traffic safety.

The hours of darkness are the most dangerous for both motorists and pedestrians. Despite the fact that more than half of the annual number of hours are daylight, and that traffic is lightest between midnight and dawn, the nighttime mileage death rate continues to exceed the daytime rate, year after year.

The reasons for this are well known to safety specialists. If drivers will learn them, too, and adapt their driving habits to combat the special hazards created by darkness, much human tragedy and economic waste can be prevented.

Visibility is a vital element in safe driving at night. At night it must be provided by proper street lighting and proper driving lights. In times past, the measurement of good street lighting was thought to be the amount of candle power at the light source

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34 Out For Summer Band

The city-sponsored summer band program is off to a fine start as 34 boys and girls turn out as members of both the junior and senior bands. The program is under the direction of LeRoy Christian, high school band instructor.

Those who have turned out for the senior band unit are: Joan Bond, Sue Giegling, Nancy Hoelsi, Shirley Souders, Robert Smith, Sally Gross, Phyllis Ziebell, George Kessler, Joy Funk, Betsy Niederer, Ruth Decker, Lee Nolan, Dick Owen, Jack Richardson, Terry Hilton and Pat Bishaw. Also with the group now are four others who have been promoted from the junior band. They are: Dick Souders, Roger Kessler, Barbara Klein and Jim Burch.

Junior band members are: Marvin Bleski, Jack Smith, James Klein, Warren Hatfield, Carl Hatfield, Cora LaGrew, Audrey Wolcott, Derek McEvers, Tom Kearney, Denis Sorenson, Mary Lark, Sally Bishaw, Sylvia Robertson and Phyllis Fairbairn.

Students who have signed up for lessons only are: Iris Annis, Barbara Nelson, Richard Klein, John Bishaw, Lila Bunker, John Robertson, Richard Phelps, Steve Jorgensen, Emil Niederer and Margaret LaGrew.

The Senior Band meets each day from 9 A. M. to 11, while the Junior band's hour is from 1 to 2 in the afternoon. The summer program extends until August 27 and is an 8-week music course sponsored by the Grayling City Council.

Elect 2 School Board Members

Jerome Kessler was elected to succeed himself and Eugene Papendick was elected as members of the Grayling School Board at the annual school district meeting held at the Grayling High School Monday evening.

Slightly over 30 people were in attendance at the meeting which was presided over by Board President O. H. Giegling. Board Secretary Roy Milnes read last year's annual meeting minutes and financial report revealing that the school district's total receipts for the year were \$107,636.29. Total expenses for the year were \$96,101.12. Allocation was made in last year's budget for a big expenditure in re-vamping the school's ventilating system. This work has now been completed and is the reason for the rather large balance carried over, it was explained.

The secretary also read the proposed budget for next year. All three reports were accepted as read by the board.

President Giegling appointed Earl Burns and Richard Lovely as tellers and said that four men had filed to run for the two offices open on the board. Members Kessler and Arthur C. Clough, Eugene Papendick and John Peterson were the four candidates for the offices. Twenty-nine people voted for two members with Kessler receiving 21, Papendick 14 and Peterson 14.

In following open discussion Richard Lovely asked if a music and voice teacher might be added to the staff. School Supt. Frank Bond answered the question explaining that the three biggest difficulties in adding courses was finding an instructor, financing the course and finding room for it in the already over-crowded building. President Giegling announced that a driver-training course would be instituted next year with Joseph Stripes as instructor. About 48 students can be accommodated each year in the course, he explained.

YOUTH FELLOWSHIP OF M. M. CHURCH ENJOYS OVER NIGHT TRIP

Fourteen young people with their counselors, Mrs. Ernest Larson, Mrs. George Hiltot and Rev. Mr. R. C. Fuller left for Big Cannon Creek, near Sharon for an over night trip and returned home Thursday. All had a wonderful time and especially Rev. Fuller, who reported a catch of 11 trout.

Probate Judge Attends State Convention

Probate Judge and Mrs. Ray Clement were in attendance at the State Convention of Probate Judges held in Sault Ste. Marie on July 8, 9 and 10. Convention headquarters were at the Park Hotel.

Governor Kim Sigler gave an address at the opening session of the convention. The remainder of the session during the three day meeting were given over to legal clinics, question and answer periods and discussions pertaining to matters of Probate Court work.

The annual election of officers was held at the final meeting with Arthur E. Moore of Pontiac elected as president, William E. Doran of Flint as vice president, and Carl R. Rushton of Marquette as secretary-treasurer.

Red Cross To Hold International Convention

A new Red Cross "convention" whose adoption and observance could abolish slave labor, concentration camps and lessen the impact of modern weapons on non-combatants is to be discussed at the 17th International Red Cross Conference in Stockholm, Sweden, August 20 to 30, according to a news release to the Crawford County Red Cross Chapter. More than 500 Red Cross and government delegates will attend the meeting, first to be held since 1938.

The proposals for wartime protection of civilians include provisions for the care of sick and wounded civilians in war areas, humane treatment of civilian war internees, enemy aliens, and civilians in occupied lands and special consideration for women and children. If adopted and observed by nations the new convention will give civilians some of the protection now given to combatants by the Red Cross and Prisoners of War treaties between governments. After an approved Red Cross, Red Crescent, and Red Lion and Sun Societies, the League of Red Cross Societies and the International Committee of the Red Cross.

"The American Red Cross" and the U. S. Government have been working for more than a year preparing for the important Stockholm meeting. Special attention has been paid to proposed changes in the Red Cross and Prisoner of War conventions. Suggested American changes are designed to plug loopholes in existing treaties and afford greater security to medical personnel and Prisoners of War.

T. ALLMAN BURIED IN WYANDOTTE

Funeral services were held Friday, July 2 for Thomas Allman, Sr., who died at Mercy Hospital, Grayling, Tuesday, June 28. He was 74 years old on June 25.

Mr. Allman came to Wyandotte from England in 1905. He lived at 514 Maple Street. He was employed by the Wyandotte Chemical Corporation until his retirement in 1941. He served as personnel director for the corporation for many years. He was an active member of the Session of the First Presbyterian Church for many years.

Mr. Allman moved to Grayling from Wyandotte and made his home at Lake Margrethe.

Funeral arrangements were in charge of the Nixon home and home funeral home, Grayling. Burial was in the Presbyterian Church. The body lay in state at the church from noon until 3 P. M., Friday when services were held.

Surviving are his wife, Bertha, nee Thompson, Thomas, Arthur and Ralph; daughters, Mrs. Walter Pomeroy, Mrs. Oscar Riedel, Mrs. George Baisley; 11 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Kiwanis Club Notes

Ken Taylor, district scout executive from Midland appeared as the main speaker in the program at the regular weekly meeting of the Kiwanis Club of Grayling held at the Lone Pine Inn, Monday evening.

Taylor presented a designed program to re-institute the scout movement in Grayling and appointed a working committee on a motion from Roy Trudeau.

At last week's meeting held on Tuesday because of a holiday, Jack Richardson, Kiwanis sponsored attendant at Wolverine Boy's State, gave a report to the club on the meeting. Jack who was elected as Secretary of State at the East Lansing meeting gave a most interesting and informative report. Also in attendance was Robert Lozon, who attended Boy's State as the representative of the Grayling Legion Post. Bob held a municipal office in one of the Boy's State mythical cities. He talked for a short time giving the highlights on his experiences.

Camp Arrowhead

Mr. and Mrs. Chan Hawkins of Detroit were in camp several days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dragmire and family of Detroit had a cabin at a week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Fish of Ann Arbor spent several days here.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Riddle and son of Midland had a cabin for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul R. Hariek of W. Dearborn left last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean M. Abbey and sons, Dick and Chuck of Lansing had a cabin Thursday night. Mr. Abbey and Chuck started on a hundred mile flat down the Manistee River, Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hill of WWJ of Detroit are here for a week end fishing.

Mr. and Otto Peterson and Mr. and Mrs. (Natalie) Henderson and little daughter, Nancy Ann, are spending the week at cabin "Cedar Crest."

Mr. and Mrs. Livingston of "Birchwood Lodge" and Detroit, called in camp Friday.

Mrs. Helen Carroll, daughter, Mary, and son, Ray, made a trip to South Boardman Thursday, to call on relatives.

Enos Jennings and wife and Mr. and Mrs. Fairchild of Hazel Park are spending their vacation at Steve Jennings cabin at Shaw's Park. Steve and family plan on coming next week and bring some of their friends.

Independents Push String To Nine Straight With Sunday Win

SIX HOMEMAKERS FROM CRAWFORD COUNTY TO ATTEND FARM WOMEN'S WEEK AT M. S. C.

Six homemakers from Crawford County will attend Farm Women's Week at Michigan State College, July 19-23, reports Virginia Vance, home demonstration agent.

Those attending include: Mrs. Minnie Hartley, Mrs. H. S. Armstrong, Miss Dora Feldhauser, Mrs. Ted Baynham, Mrs. Stanley Hummel and Mrs. Archie Rowse.

They will join about 1,000 farm women for a week of college life including recreational, educational and inspirational activities. Facilities of the college will be placed at their disposal and they will live and eat in college dormitories.

Outstanding speakers from all over the nation will address various sessions during the week. Michigan State College faculty are offering 21 different classes so that the women may study the subject of their choice for a week.

Social events include an outdoor garden party in the Elizabethan Garden, a style revue and open houses in the various college buildings. Tour of the campus are planned.

Ed Carlson Awarded Legion Scholarship

Edwin Carlson of Grayling has been awarded a cash scholarship of \$150 by the American Legion of Michigan to help defray college expenses. Fifty-four other Michigan young men, all sons of war veterans, are also receiving a like scholarship. The scholarships for the state will total \$8,250.

The scholarships will be paid from special American Legion fund named in honor of the late Gen. Guy M. Wilson of Flint, former state Legion commander. It is financed through annual contributions from all Legion members, and has been in operation for 10 years.

The fund is administered by a Legion committee headed by ex-Gov. Wilbur M. Brucker of Detroit. Other members are George J. Kremble, Grand Rapids; A. O. MacKnight, Howard City; John Welch, Iron Mountain; and Robert H. Gorsline of Milford.

Maple Forest

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Norton of Flint visited at the Richard Babbitt home one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Papenfus have a baby girl, born Saturday, July 10. Her name is Kathleen Elaine. C. Milnes and family brought her sister, Mrs. Charles E. Owen, home from a weeks visit in Leslie and Lansing. Her three nieces are staying here for a few days.

Mrs. Pearl White and daughter, Dorothy, and son, Johnny, have gone to Decatur for a visit.

Mrs. A. Van Louven and children are spending a couple of weeks at their place here.

Roger Evans of Toledo is spending a few days with the Richard Babbitt family.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hummel and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hummel and son, Alfred, drove to Lapeer Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Feldhauser and son, Curtis, from downriver spent Saturday night and Sunday with the Ed Feldhausers.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lawrence of Columbiaville and Mr. and Mrs. Wendell of Flint called at R. Babbitts Sunday. They were on their way home from a trip to Yellowstone National Park. Mrs. Lawrence and Mrs. R. Babbitt are sisters.

Don't forget the Fire Prevention program and Poster Contest at the Town Hall Thursday night, July 15, at 9 o'clock.

Fairview Is Victim Of 14 Run Attack

With Bob "Musty" Gilder on the mound, the Grayling Independents pushed their season record to nine straight wins with a 14 to 2 win over Fairview in a North Central Michigan League game here Sunday. The 14 run attack raises Grayling's season scoring to exactly 100 runs while their opponents have pushed across but 33.

The Independents replenished in new white and red uniforms showed real class in play to match the new "big league" style suits. The white uniforms have red trim with "Grayling" across the chest and red lettered numbers on the back. Gilder, who has proved to be Grayling's best hurler so far this season allowed but four hits to the visiting Fairview nine.

The visitors scored one run in the first inning and were then held scoreless until the first half of the ninth when they pushed over their other counter.

Grayling pushed over a lone cooler in the initial inning, collected a goose egg in the second and added 3 more runs in both the third and fourth innings. They followed with 2 scores in the fifth, one more in the sixth, skipped in the seventh and added in the last half of the eighth inning.

Bud Caid with 4 hits in 5 appearances led the attack. Two of his four safeties were doubles. George Hanson and Clyde Anshel also hit doubles. George Hanson and Sandy Thompson both hit 2 for 4 and Ed Carlson collected 2 for 5.

Grayling's totals were 14 runs on 15 hits while committing 2 errors. Fairview scored 2 runs on 4 hits and committed 1 misplays. The League leading local team next Sunday at Houghton Lake. They defeated the Lakers at the Grayling field earlier in the season by a 14 to 2 score.

Air Training Plans Complete

In the early dawn of 1 August C-47 air transport will be moving out of Detroit-Wayne Major Airport at Romulus and Kellogg Field at Battle Creek loaded with personnel and equipment of the Michigan Air National Guard. This will be the first of a series of shuttle flights marking the biggest mass air movement ever undertaken in this state as 14 Air Guard units head for the Grayling air base for 15 days of field training.

With the exception of a relatively small amount of material to be transported by motor convoys, the Air National Guard will move to its field training base via air. This will mark the first field exercises for Michigan's rapidly growing and impressive air forces.

Operating from their Grayling base on the excellent facilities constructed during the war by the army, the Air Guard units will range after according to the proposed training schedules. Fighter and bomber units will make use of the lower Oscoda range operated by the Air Force on the shores of Lake Huron. For tactical exercises and bombing missions. It is also possible that joint maneuvers will be held with other Air Guard units from Illinois and Wisconsin.

More than 65 aircraft will be available for training of ground crews, including 31 P-51 Mustang fighters and a score of A-26 Invader speedy light bombers. It is expected that more than 600 officers and men will participate.

Brought together for the first time will be all units of Michigan's Air Guard under command of Lt. Col. Donald W. Armstrong, commanding Hq., 127th Air Group major unit participating will be the 107th Bomb Sq., under command of Major Ralph W. Marble, the 171st Ftr. Sq., under command of Maj. Franklin K. Carney, and Hq. Det. 227th Air Support Sq., commanded by Lt. Col. Sterling W. Plant. From Kellogg Field will come the units of the 172nd Ftr. Sq. commanded by Capt. Ross M. Norwood.

Air crews are scheduled for full flying schedule including instrument flying, aerial gunnery and dive bombing, fighter tactics and techniques and bombing missions. All personnel are scheduled for small arms firing on the Camp Grayling range, and there will be plenty of on-the-job training for ground crews in the maintenance of aircraft and equipment. Approximately 100 pyrotechnic tents will go upon the Grayling air base for the housing of personnel.

During the second week of the air unit training, army units of the Michigan National Guard will also be encamped at nearby Camp Grayling, thus offering an opportunity for joint training. A formal review and parade of air personnel is scheduled for 7 August. On the final day in the field on 14 August all planes will participate in the formal Governor's Day review with the 46th Infantry Division and attached units at Camp Grayling. This finale will mark one of the greatest mass demonstrations of Guard strength ever displayed on that historic spot.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Harvey and daughter, Sandra, of Flint, called at the A. L. Roberts home over the week end. Mrs. Harvey is Mrs. Robert's daughter.

WANT ADS

TELEPHONE 3111

RATES—Advertisements in this department cost 35 cents for 25 words or less for each insertion. For more than 25 words one cent a word for each insertion. Rates for display advertising in the classified columns on application. Orders by mail should be accompanied by cash or postage stamps. An extra charge of 10c will be made for blind ads and if it is necessary to bill for an advertisement that has been charged.

The Want Ad Department closes for each week's edition at 5:30 P. M. on Tuesday.

HANDSAW FILING—Any kind, also knives, axes, draw knives, planes, shears, chisels or anything you have to sharpen. Ed Bowen, 704 Ionia. Phone 4341. 7-24 tf

WANTED—House wiring work. For estimates call Kalkaska 3484 or write Paul Dunlap, Kalkaska. Oct. 2 tf

FOR SALE—Fine kiln dried hardwood kiln. Large load, \$4. Stephen Wood Products. Phone 3557. 1-22 tf

WRITE or call Clinton Typewriter Service for "Rebuilding - Repairing - Cleaning" Typewriters - Adding Machines - Calculators - Comptometers - Mimeographs - Cash Registers. Phone 879. 315 Vine Street, Traverse City. 4-3 tf

SPECIAL—Inventory clearance of 1946-48 Ford Radios. Custom 6 tube Ford Zeniths with push button and tone control. Regular \$75 installed complete. Now \$57.99, fully guaranteed. Welsh Motor Sales. 1-7

PAPER TABLE CLOTHING—\$3.15 for 300-ft. roll. Avalanche Office. 1-7

FOR SALE—1,000 watt Fairbanks-Morse A.C. light plant located at my cabin. \$100 will buy it. Good condition. Write for appointment. W. B. Henry, 215 Shearer Bldg., Bay City, Michigan. 1-8-15

NOW IS THE TIME to buy that building lot in Karen Woods, to be ready for spring building. Electric, phone and school bus service. Alex Atkinson. Phone 2977. 2/19 tf

RIETH THE WATCHMAKER—"If Rieth can't repair your watch throw it away." We have repaired over 75,000 watches and clocks. We buy old gold, watches, clocks, diamonds, shotguns and rifles. Mail or bring to Ed C. Rieth, "Rieth Haven," Grayling, near Wakeley Bridge. Ph. 4174. 3/4 tf

FOR SALE—New two bed room home. All knotty pine interior. Bath except tub, electric pump, hot water heater, oil burning space heater included. Built in kitchen sink and cupboards. Nice large lot with pine grove. All for \$4,800 or \$4,400. New electric stove and refrigerator. Terms. US-27—250 feet by 175 feet deep lot, pine trees, 4 room house, chicken house, etc. Full price \$2,700. Terms. Art Clough Realty. Phone 4741. 6-10 tf

INSULATION—We insulate new or old construction, batt or blown-in rock wool. North Michigan Insulating Co., Box 94, Phone 100, Roscommon, Mich. 3-25 tf

Two New 4-Room Cottages, \$500.00 down, balance monthly. 1-7

Lot \$150 and up J. Hartig, Frederic. Owner 4-8 tf

FOR SALE—Ausable River frontage on the Main Street. Available in frontage of from 100 to 1,600 feet. Electricity available. See Glen Day or Phone 2561. 4-14 tf

FOR FLOOR AND WALL TILE and linoleum call Northern Michigan Tile Co., Kalkaska 4181 or write. 3-25 tf

MODERN HOME FOR SALE—Also electric power saw, and electric drill. Mrs. Ed Carlson, 302 State St., City. 1-5

HAVE YOUR SHOES DYED. Can dye them most any color. Also will clean and shine shoes. Results speak for themselves. Myrton Burrows. Phone 4231. 508 Chestnut St. 5-13 tf

FOR SALE—2,000 ft. lake frontage on the Intermediate chain of lakes near Ellsworth, \$1,000. East Jordan Real Estate Exchange, East Jordan, Mich. Phone 164M. 8-15

FOR SALE—6 oak dining room chairs, leather seats, and table, bed and springs, also 4 cylinder 60 H. P. LeRoy gasoline engine, 3 phase, 3 H. P. electric motor. Robert Legner, Power Dam, Grayling. 8-15

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Grayling Ground Loops

The Ground Loops have been grounded for some time because the fellows at the airport have been too busy or too lazy to furnish the aviation news. Since last published the following students have become Private Pilots: Wayne Holzman, Grayling; Robert Holzman, Grayling; Douglas Knuth, Grayling; Russell Wright, Frederic; and Robert DeWitt, Roscommon. 8-15

The oil business is bringing considerable air traffic to Grayling. The Superior Oil Co. of Houston, Texas brought an executive to Grayling in a converted A-28. From Houston to Grayling in four hours! That is speed! 8-15

The registry of aircraft shows an increase each month. May and June this year exceeded the registered aircraft for the entire year of 1947. Twin engine ships, such as Cessna UC 78, Beechcraft, Lockheed, Grumman Widgeons and others, are more in evidence than ever before. These are usually company owned aircraft used for transporting executives, and not privately owned. 8-15

Anyone know what happened to the airline? They better get going or Grayling Air Service will be cutting into their business with the Bellanca. This ship was recently added to their fleet of five aircraft. The Bellanca is 150 horsepower, low wing, four place aircraft. It can cruise at 138 miles per hour with 150 mile top speed. The rate for charter is \$18 per hour, giving the resorters airplane service to anywhere at less than round trip airline fare. 8-15

GI Flying has been restricted effective July 1st as result of act of Congress and directives from the Veterans Administration. Veterans who still desire to take up flight training must have a letter from a qualified doctor stating they are physically qualified to achieve the objective and must also furnish detailed proof that such training is to be used in conjunction with present occupation or training, or contemplated occupation or training. No flight school can enroll a veteran until the Veterans Administration has approved the application. Other than the delay in enrolling a student caused by the required prior approval from the Veterans Administration, the directives will not be a hardship on the veteran who wants to take up flying under the GI Bill of Rights. 8-15

Grayling really went on the map on April 25th, so far as the talk in aviation circles are concerned. Even this late in the summer we hear favorable comments on the Dawn Patrol held this spring. Evidently later Dawn Patrols were not as well organized in some respect as the one held here. We don't mean to reflect on other communities, but it is a source of satisfaction in knowing that the time the members put in at meetings has paid off in long term dividends. 8-15

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look into the matter of having a ship fly on company business. Why aren't business and professional men forming flying clubs? Why isn't there more actual participation of the people of Grayling in aviation? We don't know the answer but would sure like to see the problem answered. We do know that a company airplane will pay dividends to the owners now and in a few years will be a must for any industry having a sales area than can be covered by plane. People who cannot afford a plane individually can form clubs of any number of members to share the cost of owning an airplane. Grayling was the first town to have all the school children taken for an airplane ride. Grayling held the largest and best organized Dawn Patrol ever held in Michigan. Grayling has the best airport in Michigan, has the most to offer the aerial tourists in the way of recreation, relaxation, or just plain natural beauty. But think of what we are missing. 8-15

Port Huron. The Otis Weaver garage burned to the ground Monday.

A Mrs. Davis of Hamtramck and her two small children were put on the wrong bus. They were put off here, stranded. We do have some heartfelt people in this town. Mrs. Bessie Cooke took them home with her for supper, Mr. and Mrs. Russell V. Wright gave her money to return home, they were put on the 9:20 south bound bus rejoicing.

Exra Highlin is home from his job in the Upper Peninsula. Rodney Cameron of Port Huron (an old resident of 50 years ago here) called on old friends last week.

Alva Hunt of Detroit will arrive this week end for a 10 days vacation with his family here.

Mrs. Laura Wallace returned Friday from a two weeks visit in Detroit and Bay City.

A number from here attended the Softball game last Friday night in Grayling. Frederic won. Mrs. Jack Downer of Pontiac is vacationing with her parents, the C. S. Barbers.

Mrs. Maude Shorts is over at Traverse City with her daughter, the Walter Carlsons, picking cherries.

Harry Horton of Detroit says

"thanks a lot friends for the birthday shower of cards."

Jack and Billie Post motored to Lansing last Thursday and were accompanied back by their brother, George Post and family, who spent a week with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Post and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Morden Post and son.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Flagg are enlarging their home.

Miss Arla Barber was a guest of the Charley Madills on their recent Bay City visit.

Mrs. Harry Horton has returned from a visit with Mr. Horton in Detroit.

Mrs. E. Smock and Mrs. H. Horton were in Ellsworth last Thursday and visited Mrs. Smock's sister and brother.

Mr. and Mrs. August Littrell of Niles, Mich., are honeymooning here at the Marlin Weavers.

Johnny (Bud) Rowell of Lansing visited his mother, Mrs. H. Horton Sunday.

Temperature Sunday afternoon in the south end of town reached 96 degrees. Summer is here.

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Where The Money Goes

Every now and then, consumer groups draw an unflattering comparison between the price of beef on the hoof, at wholesale, and the price charged for table cuts at retail. The difference is large. And that leads many people to a totally erroneous idea of the costs involved in processing and marketing.

Some time ago one of the meat packing companies explained, in full detail, where the money goes to. At that time, choice cattle were selling on the Chicago market at an average of 32.5 cents a pound—yet steaks were selling in New York for as high as \$1.00 a pound. And here are the reasons why.

For a thousand pound steer, the farmer received \$325. By the time it was dressed and chilled, that steer weighed only 625 pounds. After adding plant expenses, and deducting the value of by-products, the packer had little more than \$307 invested in 625 pounds of beef—which works out to 49¼ cents a pound.

By the time the beef reached New York, the packer's cost per pound had risen to 51.9 cents. It was sold to the retailer at around 52 cents, leaving but a fraction of a cent per pound for the packer.

By the time the retailer prepared the beef for sale, his investment was over 60 cents a pound. His selling cost, plus a small profit, averaged about 12½ cents. Consequently, all cuts had to move at an average price of 73 cents for each and every pound. Some of the less desirable cuts had to be sold for as little as 40 cents a pound. And that simply means that the price of the choicest cuts, such as fine steaks, had to approach a dollar.

What is true of meat is true of all staple foods. All along the line, production costs and retailing costs are held to a minimum. Profits are minuscule. And the consumer gets the lowest price possible under today's economic conditions.

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Interesting Events In
Grayling 23 Years AgoINTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE
FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

July 15, 1925
Word from Lansing announced the birth of a son to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Whipple, who recently moved to that city from Grayling.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn A. Wilcox have sold their former home on the South Side to Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Epley. The latter are from Gladwin County.

A few friends were guests of Mark Murray at luncheon, Monday afternoon and helped to celebrate his birthday.

James Milnes, Monday, sold two of his fine cottages at Lake Margrethe, one to Mrs. George N. Olson and the other to Mrs. Victor Peterson. These are cozy places and no doubt both families will spend many happy summers there.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Salisbury and children returned home Tuesday from a delightful two week's vacation at Point Comfort on the east shore of Otsego Lake.

Mrs. Barbara Anthony of Grayling was one of the students whose name was included in the honor roll for scholarship during the past term at Central Normal school.

Mrs. J. K. Hanson is entertaining her sister, Mrs. Louis Jensen, of Ewen.

Mrs. Paul Hendrie and her niece, Miss Isabelle Macauley are visiting in Chicago.

Ben Jerome, Jr., 10 years old, was a pretty proud youngster when he landed, unassisted a three pound black bass, Monday evening.

Vincent Grandjean, who owned the Star Stables here a couple of years ago, arrived in Grayling the forepart of the week accompanied by P. Rodholt of Denmark. The gentleman has been making a tour of the United States.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank LaMotte and family, Mrs. Agnes Bonifas and David LaMotte motored to Garden, Mich., the latter part of the week to attend the funeral of Isaac Carron.

Miss Margrethe Nielsen is enjoying a vacation from her duties at the bank. She is visiting Miss

Louise Hainline at Alma.
Supt. and Mrs. E. E. Smith returned home from Tecumseh, Saturday to stay for a few days.

Among those attending Central Normal at Mt. Pleasant are Misses Erma Craven and Leota Welsh, Max Tobin and Harry Hart.

Mrs. Ed Nichols spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Patterson.

Basil Tibert returned to his home in Escanaba, after a week's visit with his cousins, Liwyn and Evelyn Doremus.

Mr. and Mrs. George Troop and son, Dori, are visiting at the Charles Craven home.

Navy swimming and diving teams will meet in Philadelphia, Penna., the week of Aug. 22, 1948 in competition for All-Navy championship awards.

TRAFFIC

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and the number of lights on a given roadway. Now, however, engineering specialists have established as fact that our chief concern should be the road surface brightness and its effect on the visibility of an object, and modern street lighting is thus being designed in accordance with that knowledge.

Obviously, adequate street and highway lighting is basic and essential to the safe operation of our automobiles on their surfaces. However, for visibility on hundreds of thousands of miles of road, where traffic density does not justify special types of highway lighting, we must depend on headlights. Indeed, we must rely on efficient headlights at all times. When properly used, modern head lamps of the "sealed beam" type provide safe seeing conditions for night driving. In addition, a wise motorist plans his vehicle operation in an entirely different way than when he drives during the day.

One of the first rules of night driving is to remember that, however well lighted the road, and however powerful the headlights, visibility is always lower at night. Decreased visibility naturally demands decreased speed. It is most important for motorists to resist the temptation to speed at night, even though traffic may be very light. There are other very definite darkness hazards besides other cars. Pedestrians may be walking on the highway, there may be an unlighted bicycle or horse-drawn vehicle, even an unseen stone or road depression may throw a speeding automobile from the highway.

The following precautions are recommended by safety specialists:
When approaching a curve or hill, speed should be reduced to the point where the motorist can easily stop within the range of his headlights.

Temporary blindness caused by the glare of approaching headlights is a frequent cause of death and injury at night. When confronted by dazzling headlights, the motorist should keep his eyes fixed on the edge of the road, away from the glare, and at the same time change his own lights to a lower beam.

Intoxicated drivers are a special night-time hazard. States have shown that between 76 and 91 per cent of accidents involving drinking drivers occurred at night. Many night-time street and highway accidents happen in the vicinity of roadhouses and night clubs, and it is necessary here to be on the alert for both motorists and pedestrians.

If possible, a window should be kept open for better circulation of air and for better hearing. A clean windshield and crystal-clear headlight lenses are essential.

No city or town can afford to be without proper street lighting. Every citizen can help reduce accidents by seeing that adequate lighting is provided in his community. And every motorist can make it his individual responsibility to drive intelligently at night.

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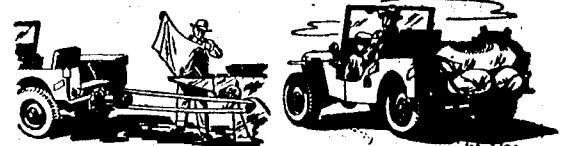
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Fau Jones has taken the posi-
tion as job electrical superintend-
ent at Grand Traverse Electric
Co., at present working on the
power house for the state hospital
in Traverse City.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bulger of
St. Louis, Mo., called on the Rich-
ard-William family at Lake Mar-
garethe one day last week. Mr.
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Steve Jennings and family of
Hazel Park and his sister, Mrs.
Alice Shaw, spent the fourth of
July at his parents' home in
Detroit. Mr. and Mrs. Milford Hall
of Detroit spent July 4th with their
mother, Mrs. E. Jennings and
with Raymond Wiley. Their son,
Jack Hall, recently graduated
from the Academy of Medicine in
New York and is a full fledged
X-Ray technician.

Dr. and Mrs. F. E. Bearsch and
family have returned home, after
spending two weeks at Danish
Landing.

Recent guests at Shaw's Park
down river were Mr. and Mrs.
William Skinner and his mother,
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Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Lehman and
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Mrs. Thomas L. Brennan in Sag-
inaw. The Brennans, who were
married in Pinconning in 1898, ob-
served the anniversary by attend-
ing 10:30 Mass at St. Andrew's
Church and later gathering for a
family reunion at their home.
Their ten children were present to
help them.

Friends of "Nell" Mrs. Frank
Sawyer are happy to see that she is
able to be about again, after a
lengthy illness.

Guests for the week end of the
Harold Hatfield family were Mrs.
E. Cole and William and George
Hatfield of Detroit. The male
members of the family were happy
to report that they caught 29 wal-
leyes in five days at Lake Mar-
garethe.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs.
Bill Joseph were Mr. and Mrs.
Bert Sangster of Lansing.

The Walter F. Duerr are here
to spend the summer at "Lure
Lodge" at Lake Margarethe. Their
daughter and son, Mr. and Mrs.
Gerald Sundell and son, Gregg,
are guests for two weeks. Mr.
and Mrs. Paul Fairbrother and Mr.
and Mrs. Wm. Willis spent the
4th of July week end.

Alfred and Joan Hendrickson
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Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Levering
and daughter, Christine of Detroit
are vacationing at Hendrickson
cottage at Lake View Park.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ewart and
children, Robert and Ann, of Pon-
tiac called on Mr. and Mrs. A. J.
Joseph on route to and from a
vacation at Chub Lake. Mr.
Ewart is Mrs. Joseph's nephew.

Other recent callers were Mr. and
Mrs. R. G. Dunn and baby of
Mason, who were on their way
to Harbor Springs, she to spend
the summer.

Mrs. Melvin Marshall and
daughter, Camilla, returned home
last Wednesday from Saginaw.
She was accompanied down on
Tuesday by Billy Martin and his
cousin, Patty Cox, who are spend-
ing two weeks at her home in
Lumans.

Melvin Marshall was admitted
to Mercy Hospital on Wednesday
last with an infected right arm.
He had received a bad cut on his
arm between the elbow and wrist
the previous week.

Bobby Strong is visiting his
grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J.
Elston in Flint. He accompanied
his grandmother, Mrs. J. E. Strong
to Flint last Wednesday.

Charged For Making False Application

Secretary of State, F. M. Alger,
Jr., was advised today that Dr. C.
T. Lewerenz of Chicago, who was
charged by the Department with
making a false application for re-
fund of gasoline tax was fined
\$400 and costs of \$100 by Judge
E. A. Weston in circuit court at St.
Joseph, Michigan on June 21, '48.
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savings to the State of more than
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Frederic News

Mr. and Mrs. Arvie Cox of
Walled Lake called to spend a
couple of weeks at their home here
having a short vacation. They
have with them the three children
of Mrs. Burr, the daughter of
Mrs. Cox. Mr. Cox, who is em-
ployed by the Pontiac Motor Co.,
returned Tuesday to his work
leaving Mrs. Cox and the grand-
children to enjoy their home for a
while. Mrs. Cox is the oldest
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George
Horton.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis McClel-
land of Walled Lake were up for
the week end visiting her parents,
the George Hortons and their
daughter and husband of Farm-
ington were with them. Mr. and
Mrs. George Lundoff and little
daughter, Susan Marie. Another
guest of the Hortons for a week
was their granddaughter, Miss
Onella Horton of Auburn Heights.

Good news has been received
that James Horton, son of Mr. and
Mrs. George Horton, is coming
along fine and able to be about
again, after undergoing a severe
operation on his spine.

Charles Horton of Gaylord was
home with his parents. He is em-
ployed at the T. B. Sanatorium.

Churches

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Church School 10:00 A. M.
Divine Worship: 11:00 A. M.

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9:45 A. M.—Sunday School.
11:00 A. M.—Worship.

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Pastor—F. D. Barnes
10:00 A. M.—Sunday School.
11:15 A. M.—Morning Service.
6:45 P. M.—Young People.
Thursday—
7:30 P. M.—Evening Service.
Mid-week Services
7:30 P. M.—Prayer and Every-
body's Bible Class.

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Pastor—Rev. Ray Van Duiwendyk
9:30 A. M.—Sunday School.
10:30 A. M.—Church Services.
7:30 P. M.—Evening Services.
7:30 P. M., Wednesday—Prayer
Meeting.
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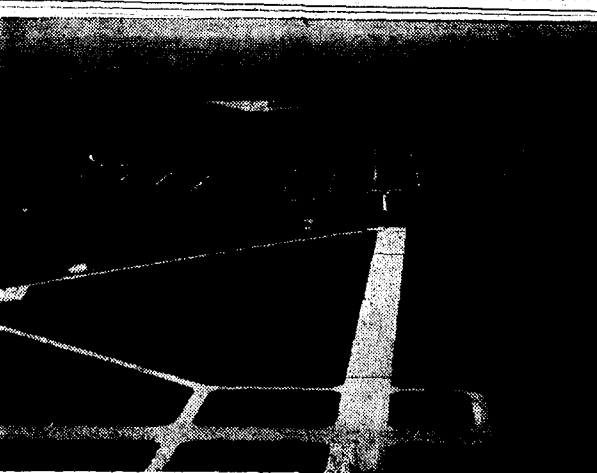
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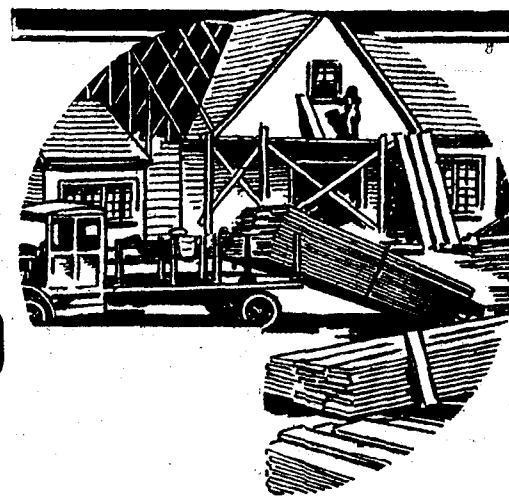
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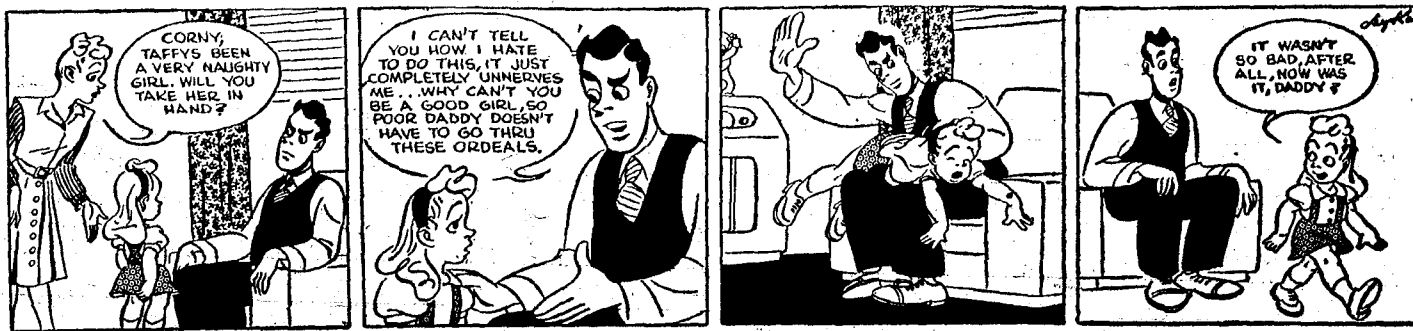
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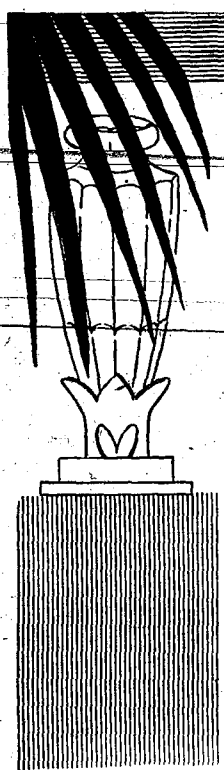
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Road Commissioners Minutes

June 3, 1948.
Special meeting of the Crawford County Road Commission held at their office in Grayling.
Present: George Skingley, Arthur Feldhauser, Chester Lozon.
Absent: Arthur Feldhauser, Chester Lozon.
This special meeting was called in answer to a request from Mr. Stoddard, representative of the Contractors Equipment Co., of Detroit, to accompany him to Alba to view a Crane in operation. Mr. Skingley in company with Supt. Hull made the trip with Mr. Stoddard.
Arthur Feldhauser, Chairman.
William Ferguson, Clerk.

June 4, 1948.
Regular meeting of Crawford County Road Commission held at their office in Grayling.
Present: Arthur Feldhauser, Chester Lozon and George Skingley.
Absent: None.
Meeting called to order by Chairman Arthur Feldhauser.
Minutes of last regular and four special meetings read and approved.

Motion made by Chester Lozon, supported by George Skingley to approve for payment the payroll summary for the period May 16, 1948 to May 31, 1948 inclusive in the amount of \$4,091.55. All voting in favor.
Motion carried.

Motion made by George Skingley, supported by Chester Lozon to approve for payment the following vouchers. All voting in favor.
Motion carried.

1. Crawford County Road Commission \$3,526.18
2. A. L. H. 190.31
3. Arthur Feldhauser 29.60
4. Chester Lozon 17.70
5. George Skingley 23.20
6. William Ferguson 97.50
7. Clyde Anthony 72.50
8. A. J. Nelson 125.00
9. Cadillac Overall Supply Co. 5.40
10. Duplex Truck Co. 144.43
11. Detroit Ball Bearing 48.43
12. Vought Co. 2.65
13. Frank L. Wood 1.43
14. Hayes Oil Co. 1.75
15. Kelly Service 1.90
16. Mich. Mutual Liability Co. 2,308.86
17. International Rust Proof Corp. 199.00
18. B. S. Makepeace 3.28
19. Harwood Sales Service 6.00
20. Mich. Tractor 23.98
21. Scientific Brake and Equipment Co. 36.53
22. Ron's Hardware 2.45
23. Crawford Avalanche 25.50
24. Pittsburg Testing 25.71
25. Laboratory 23.71
26. Jennison Hardware 23.71
27. Tri-County Telephone Co. 22.92
28. Northern Supply Co. 82.60
29. Short Freight Lines 1.48
30. New York Central R. R. 5,456.33
31. Secretary of State 12.75
32. Alfred Hanson 34.12
33. Fochtman Motor Co. 53.75
34. Thomas Blue Print Service Shop 44.95
35. M. A. E. Company 3.00
36. Pickwick Sales Co. 19.50
37. Tropical Paint and 130.75
38. Cash 18.77
39. Doubleday-Hunt-Dolan Co. 13.75
40. Hanson Hardware Co. 2.40
41. Standard Oil Co. 107.18
42. Welsh Motor 32.26
43. Auto Electric Service 70.97

A letter was presented to the Board from the Secretary of the 28th Senatorial District calling for attendance at a joint meeting of the 28th and 29th Senatorial Districts at Boyne City on June 15. Supt. Hull was instructed to make the necessary arrangements for this meeting.
Motion made by Chester Lozon, supported by George Skingley to advertise for bids for the necessary Asphalt and Road Oil for the years Black Top program. Bids to be opened at 1 P. M. on Friday, June 18, 1948. All voting in favor.
Motion carried.

Motion made by George Skingley, supported by Chester Lozon to increase the fire insurance on the County Garage located on Huron St. from \$2,500.00 to \$5,000.00. All voting in favor.
Motion carried.

Motion made by George Skingley, supported by Arthur Feldhauser, to adjourn until 5:00 P. M., Wednesday, June 9, 1948. All voting in favor.
Arthur Feldhauser, Chairman.
William Ferguson, Clerk.

June 9, 1948.
Special meeting of Crawford County Road Commission held at their office in Grayling.
Present: Arthur Feldhauser, Chester Lozon and George Skingley.
Absent: None.

Meeting called to order by Chairman Arthur Feldhauser.
Motion made by George Skingley, supported by Chester Lozon to open bids on rubber mounted Crane as advertised. All voting in favor.

Motion made by Chester Lozon, supported by George Skingley to award the contract for Asphalt and road oil to the Standard Oil Co. All voting in favor.
Motion carried.

A trip of inspection was made by the Board in company with Supt. Hull to Bloddy Dam, where road construction operations are under way. Returning to Grayling by way of Lovells and County Road 612, where clayey opera-

Motion carried.
in favor.
W. H. Anderson Co., \$18,975.00, 2% discount 20 days.
Michigan Tractor and Machinery Co., \$18,506.35, 2% discount 10 days.
Contractors Machinery Co., \$15,115.50, 2% discount 10 days.
Miller Equipment Co., \$14,754.00, 2% discount 10 days.

As there is a vast difference in the construction and mechanical make up of those machines, it was necessary to compare all items of the specification of each make of machine. After making this comparison, the Link-Belt-Spender, offered by the Michigan Tractor and Machinery Co., was found to be the most complete, and in the opinion of the Board, was the choice for the best interests of the County. It is being equipped with larger tires, dual wheels all around, four wheel drive, front wheel stabilizers and was available for immediate delivery.
Motion made by Chester Lozon, supported by George Skingley to accept the bid of the Michigan Tractor and Machinery Co., of Detroit for the purchase of (1) one Link-Belt-Spender, Model U. C. 55 rubber mounted Crane. All voting in favor.
Motion carried.

Motion made by George Skingley, supported by Chester Lozon to open bids on two Dodge Trucks equipped with a Coleman Four Wheel Drive Assemblies for trucks.
Motion made by Chester Lozon, supported by George Skingley to adjourn until 10 A. M., Friday, July 2, 1948. All voting in favor.
Motion carried.

Arthur Feldhauser, Chairman.
William Ferguson, Clerk.

June 18, 1948.
Regular meeting of the Crawford County Road Commission held at their office in Grayling.
Present: Arthur Feldhauser, Chester Lozon and George Skingley.
Absent: None.

Meeting called to order by Chairman Arthur Feldhauser.
Minutes of last regular and one special meeting read and approved.
Motion made by Chester Lozon, supported by George Skingley to approve for payment the payroll summary for the period June 1, 1948 to June 15, 1948 inclusive, in the amount of \$4,756.56. All voting in favor.
Motion carried.

Motion made by George Skingley, supported by Chester Lozon to allow for payment the following vouchers. All voting in favor.
Motion carried.

1. Crawford County Road Commission \$4,137.20
2. A. L. H. 182.21
3. Arthur Feldhauser 22.20
4. Chester Lozon 17.70
5. George Skingley 23.20
6. William Ferguson 97.50
7. Clyde Anthony 72.50
8. A. J. Nelson 125.00
9. Sun Life Assurance Co. of Canada 73.65
10. Cadillac Overall Supply Co. 5.40
11. Lang Brothers 808.96
12. McEvers Motor Sales 12.59
13. W. C. Tufts 80.91
14. Chas. W. Mosher 32.00
15. AuSable Souvenir Works 3.00
16. AuSable Insurance Co. 121.34
17. Secretary of State 13.80
18. Short Freight Lines 8.64
19. Michigan Tractor and Machinery Co. 18,345.02
20. New York Central R. R. 4.42
21. Thomas W. Yeoman 18.00

Motion made by Chester Lozon to open bids on Asphalt road oil as advertised. All voting in favor.
Motion carried.

The following bids were received:
Great Lakes Asphalt and Petroleum Co., F. O. B. Frederic, Michigan, 107,000 gal. MC-3 cut back Asphalt, \$1,242 per gal.
25,000 gal. SC-3 Road Oil, \$1,174 per gal.
Leonard Refineries, Inc., F. O. B. Frederic, Michigan, 107,000 gal. MC-3 cut back Asphalt, \$1,352 per gal.
25,000 gal. SC-3 Road Oil, \$1,227 per gal.
Standard Oil Company, F. O. B. Frederic, Michigan, 107,000 gal. MC-3 cut back Asphalt, \$1,239 per gal.
25,000 gal. SC-3 Road Oil, \$1,130 per gal.

Motion made by Chester Lozon, supported by George Skingley to award the contract for Asphalt and road oil to the Standard Oil Co. All voting in favor.
Motion carried.

A trip of inspection was made by the Board in company with Supt. Hull to Bloddy Dam, where road construction operations are under way. Returning to Grayling by way of Lovells and County Road 612, where clayey opera-

tion are in progress.
Motion made by Arthur Feldhauser, supported by George Skingley to adjourn until 5 P. M., Wednesday, June 23, 1948. All voting in favor.
Motion carried.

Arthur Feldhauser, Chairman.
William Ferguson, Clerk.

June 23, 1948.
Special meeting of Crawford County Road Commission held at their office in Grayling.
Present: Arthur Feldhauser, Chester Lozon and George Skingley.
Absent: None.

Meeting called to order by Chairman Arthur Feldhauser.
Motion made by Chester Lozon, supported by George Skingley to approve for payment the following vouchers. All voting in favor.
Motion carried.

1. Wm. Leng \$4,470.60
2. Clarence Weaver 85.00
Robert F. Witse, representative of Draper Chevrolet Co., of Saginaw appeared before the Board in the interest of Coleman Four Wheel Drive Assemblies for trucks.
Mr. Halstead and Mr. Redwine, representatives of Knorr-Maynard Inc., of Detroit, appeared before the Board in the interest of truck and automotive supplies.
Motion made by Chester Lozon, supported by George Skingley to adjourn until 10 A. M., Friday, July 2, 1948. All voting in favor.
Motion carried.

Arthur Feldhauser, Chairman.
William Ferguson, Clerk.

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Horizontal

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6 Ordinary
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13 Despicable
15 Upon
16 Sparkle
18 To cloy
19 Greek letter
21 Heretic
22 Part of "to be"
23 Ferocious spotted cat
26 Faced
28 Soothing ointment
31 Drink made from manna
32 Six
34 Landmeasure
35 Doctrine
38 To stain
39 Man's nickname
40 Note of scale
41 Leaping amphibian
43 Etheral
45 To recede
47 Howling
50 Conjunction
52 Slender
53 Witnessed
56 Exclamation used to frighten fowls
58 Quaking
60 Prefx; two
61 Annual church celebration
63 Escaped
65 Stop on a theatrical tour
66 French article
67 Poem

Vertical

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8 -Major, the Great Bear

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24 To give forth
25 Author of "Life With Father"
27 To state positively
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29 Large bundle
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32 College administrative official
36 French coin
37 Wild duck
42 Fees
44 -Major, the Great Bear

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62 Printer's measure
64 To perform

Answer to Puzzle Number 38

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LEGAL NOTICES

STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Crawford

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grayling in said County, on the 12th day of July, 1948.

Present, Honorable Ray F. Clement Judge of Probate.
In the Matter of the Estate of Merle F. Nellist, Deceased.
John Bruun having filed in said Court his final account as administrator of said estate, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof.

It is Ordered, That the 9th day of August 1948, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice be given by publication of this copy of this order, once in each week, for three weeks consecutively, previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.
Ray F. Clement,
Judge of Probate.

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Ray F. Clement,
Judge of Probate. 15-22-29-5

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford:

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Grayling in said County, on the 24th day of June, 1948.

Present, Hon. Ray F. Clement, Judge of Probate.
In the Matter of the Estate of Roman Lietz, deceased.

George W. Lietz, administrator, having filed in said Court his final administration account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is Ordered, That the 27th day of July, 1948, at 12 o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That publication of a copy of this order, once in each week for three weeks consecutively, previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

Ray F. Clement,
Judge of Probate.

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Ray F. Clement,
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Bits O' Talk

Miss Jane Elizabeth Milnes and several friends of Detroit spent the week end here with her parents recently.

The Kenneth Ellertons are enjoying a vacation at Manistee Lake and called on their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Nawatny, Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Strong spent the week end in Lincoln visiting the Rusty Webers, and visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bub Chappelle.

Probate Judge Ray Clement attended the 3-day convention of Probate Judges held at Sault Ste. Marie, last week.

Sandy Strong is spending a week in Lansing visiting Miss Diane McDonald at the home of her parents, Col. and Mrs. Ronald McDonald.

Peter Olson, III is visiting in Flushing, Long Island. He accompanied his aunt, Mrs. Constance Klein home. Mrs. Klein had been visiting her sister, Mrs. Nels Olson and family.

Mrs. Hans Peterson is a patient at Mercy Hospital.

Mrs. Pearl McFarland of Detroit spent the week end visiting her daughter and family the Charles Pipers.

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Bishop and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hanna and family of Battle Creek spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hanna. Another son, Donald Hanna, spent the previous week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Rogers of Flint joined her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Preston, at Lake Margrethe to spend the week end.

Miss Jane Ann Martin left for Detroit, Friday to be in attendance at the wedding of Miss June Simes to Dr. James Saunders on Saturday morning.

Miss Simes will be remembered as Miss Michigan Winter Sports Queen of 1947.

Mrs. John Peterson accompanied Miss Martin to Detroit.

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Mr. and Mrs. Carl W. Johnson returned home from Detroit, Friday evening.

Miss Billyann Clippert is serving an internship in the health department at Lansing, until November at which time she will intern at Harper Hospital, Detroit; after which she will receive her Bachelor of Science Degree.

Edward Wehnes of Eldorado purchased a new five passenger Deluxe Sedan Streamliner, Two Door Pontiac, from Parsons and Lamm, Pontiac Sales and Service.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Walbridge returned home Friday from Wyandotte, where they had been to attend the funeral of Thomas Allman.

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Mrs. Minnie Hartley spent last Wednesday in Bay City.

Mrs. Andrew Wilson and children arrived Saturday to spend the summer at the A. E. Michelson cottage at Lake Margrethe.

Mr. Wilson spent the week end. Mrs. Michelson was expected on Tuesday or Wednesday.

Edward Henne left Monday for his home in Hollywood, California, after spending ten days at the Bauman cottage at Lake Margrethe.

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Mrs. Henry Bradley spent the week visiting her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Westerholm, in Cleveland, Ohio.

They accompanied her home to spend the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dibble of Traverse City spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Day, down river.

Alan Stevenson, Dennis Day, Bob

Johnson, Dick Parks, Bud Snelder, Jane Dickens, Jan Snelder, Mary Parks and Jody Worley of Cleveland were guests of Miss Gretchen Battles of Higgins Lake at a beach party Friday evening.

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry Buckles of Saginaw spent two weeks visiting her sister and family, the Middle Lamottes and their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Kern, also of Saginaw, spent the week end.

How long has it been since "you" took some shoes to Bill's for repairs?

Mrs. John Ronan of Evanston, Illinois, is the guest of Mrs. E. A. Mason at Lake Margrethe. Mr. and Mrs. Tom McHugh of Chicago spent the week end.

CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late, Thomas Allman, Sr., wish to thank their friends and neighbors for their very kind expressions of sympathy during our recent bereavement. Special thanks to the sisters and personnel of Mercy Hospital, Doctor Henig, Doctor Keyport and Rev. Puffer for their most kind consideration.

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ASSETS	Dollars	Cts
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection	\$189,062.00	
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	830,075.03	
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	25,402.49	
Other bonds, notes, and debentures	None	
Corporate stocks (including \$ None stock of Federal Reserve Bank)	None	
Loans and discounts (including \$207.41 overdrafts)	429,493.99	
Bank premises owned \$27,927.87, furniture and fixtures \$5,416.79	33,344.46	
(Bank premises owned are subject to \$ None liens not assumed by bank)		
Real estate owned other than bank premises	None	
Investments and other assets indirectly representing bank premises or other real estate	None	
Customers' liability to this bank on acceptances outstanding	None	
Other assets	None	
TOTAL ASSETS	\$1,507,378.57	

LIABILITIES	Dollars	Cts
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$607,411.84	
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	634,574.06	
Deposits of United States Government, including postal savings	828.75	
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	165,880.18	
Deposits of banks	None	
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.)	3,941.98	
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$1,412,616.61	
Bills payable, rediscounts, and other liabilities for borrowed money	None	
Mortgages or other liens, \$ None on banks and \$ None on other real estate	None	
Acceptances executed by or for account of this bank and outstanding	None	
Other liabilities	None	
TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including subordinated obligations shown below)	\$1,412,616.61	

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	Dollars	Cts
Capital*	\$ 25,000.00	
Surplus	40,000.00	
Undivided profits	19,761.96	
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred capital)	10,000.00	
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	94,761.96	
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$1,507,378.57	

*This bank's capital consists of:

First preferred stock with total par value of \$ None total retireable value \$ None
Second preferred stock with total par value of \$ None total retireable value \$ None
Capital notes and debentures of \$ None
Common stock with total par value of \$25,000.00.

MEMORANDA

Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes \$ 33,000.00
Obligations subordinated to claims of depositors and other creditors, not included in liabilities None
Deposits of the State of Michigan (included in Item 16) \$34,324.59

I, Margrethe Nielsen, Cashier, of the above-named bank, do solemnly affirm that the above statement is true, and that it fully and correctly represents the true state of the several matters herein contained and set forth, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

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Rev. and Mrs. Edward F. Hildebrand of Saginaw spent the week end with their son and family, the W. O. Hildebrands.

Ernie Miller and Martin and Jimmy Kitchen spent Sunday in Detroit, while there they attended the Detroit-Chicago ball game.

John Krage was released from Mercy Hospital Monday, after a two week confinement.

Dr. A. S. Allard, optometrist, of 205 Sheerer Bldg., Bay City, will be in Grayling at Shoppensons Inn, Wednesday, July 21, from 9 A. M. to 4 P. M. Eyes examined and glasses fitted. Remember the date, Wednesday, July 21.

Col. and Mrs. Roy Singlinger entertained a few friends Saturday evening to honor Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Cook and Johnny, Jr. Dale Burns is a temporary substitute clerk at the Grayling post office.

M/Sgt. Benson R. Lennie, NCO., in charge of the Traverse City station, of the organized program, will be at the Grayling Post Office on Thursday, July 22nd. All those persons who are interested in reserve activities, or who have a specific question or problem pertaining to the reserve program are urged to contact M/Sgt. Lennie between the hours of 12 and 3 o'clock.

Elmer Johnson of Battle Creek has been spending several days fishing around Frederic.

Watch for opening of Chuck's Grill, on US-27, next to Power Flight Gas Station.

Wes Atkinson has his new cabin nearly completed at Frederic. Mr. and Mrs. Crandall and children from Pontiac, returned home Monday after spending the week end in Frederic.

Tommy Roby of Detroit has been visiting his father, Guy Roby, and Mrs. Carl Johnson and two nephews spent Friday fishing at Red Head Lake.

Bernard Humble for Jackson spent the week end in Frederic. Carl Johnson is remodeling his nice home at Frederic.

Emerson and Dick Shaw of Flint are in Frederic on a vacation.

Wm. Murphy and wife, caretakers from Ox Bow Club spent the week end with relatives in Frederic.

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Mrs. Neva Johnson from Perrinton, Mrs. Audrey Lott from North Star, Mrs. Natalie Lewis, Mr. Edward Dringenberg, Ivan Finklebaugh and Clifford Kenipe all from Alma, made a pleasure trip to Cadillac and Traverse City, and stopped at the Lance home in Frederic over the week end.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Babcock and son, James Darroch, returned home Wednesday after spending the week end visiting Mr. Babcock's father, Ray Babcock in Lansing and his mother, Mrs. R. S. Scott in Battle Creek. Both have been confined to their beds for some time. Mr. R. Babcock having been the victim of a hit and run driver and Mrs. Scott has been confined to her bed for three years with arthritis.

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We are sorry that the names of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd McClain and family were omitted as among those to attend the LaGrow reunion, July 4th. Mrs. McClain was Carrie LaGrow before her marriage.

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Mrs. Matt Bidvia entered Harper Hospital, Detroit, Sunday, to undergo surgery. Her little daughter, Susan, is visiting relatives in Rogers City.

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Bonny Jean Halre, granddaughter of the Elmer Haines expected to leave for Camp Maqua, near Hale, today.

Mrs. Wm. Strope accompanied Mr. and Mrs. John Richards to Traverse City, Monday.

Detroit stopped at the Elmer Birdall cottage Monday en route to Big Bay.

Kay Stephan of Cadillac is vacationing with her grandmother, Mrs. Signe Randolph at Lake Margrethe.

Twin sons were born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hill of Crofton, Penn., July 6. They have been named Robert Bruce and Ronald Maxwell. Mr. Hill is better known to his friends here as Bud.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hill are the proud grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Richter returned to their home in Toledo, Ohio, after a two weeks visit with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kitchell at Lake Margrethe. Mrs. N. D. Stegman, Sandusky, Ohio, is here for a few weeks. She is Mrs. Kitchell's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Axel Nelson and daughter, Donna, are resorting at their Lake Margrethe cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Harland and two small sons spent the week end with Mrs. Eva Harland's mother, Mrs. E. A. Jennings. They live in Ferndale.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Schanhitte are her brother and family. Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Flynn and daughter, Margaret Mary. The latter celebrated her first birthday and seven little people were invited to help her enjoy a lamb birthday cake.

John Failing has received his discharge from the Army. He was stationed at Camp Lee, Va.

Elmer Kellogg is working at Olson's Barber Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Borchers and son, Douglas, of Manitowoc, Wis., are visiting at the Grant Shaws. Mr. and Mrs. Van Epps and son, Anson of Battle Creek are also visiting. The ladies are nieces of Mrs. Shaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Galloway were pleasantly surprised Tuesday.

day, July 6, when his brother and wife, the Will Galloways and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Bacon and Miss. Alice Alders (their daughters) from Fair Haven, N. Y., arrived for a visit. This was Mr. Galloway's first return visit to Grayling since 1928 and he says he can see much improvement here.

On Sunday the family, with Mr. and Mrs. John Galloway and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Galloway enjoyed a picnic. It was a real celebration as it was Will Galloway's birthday as well as the birthday of Frank Galloway's two sons and John Galloway's daughter, also the Bacon's 15th wedding anniversary.

There was a big wedding cake and four birthday cakes and all received many nice gifts. Also present were the Clarence Galloway family, Ray Denno family, Herb Short family and Alfred Galloway, Jr. Mr. and Mrs. Lester Boon were guests of the Alfred Galloway family. En route to their New York home the Galloways planned to stop in Lansing to visit relatives. Mr. Galloway forming from services held at the Lehigh Valley Railroad is now retired.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McInnis of Detroit are enjoying two weeks vacation at the Bond cabin on the Manistee River.

Mrs. Harry Preston entered Mercy Hospital on Monday.

Mrs. Marguerite Warren and brother, Frank Tromble called on friends in Grayling this week.

Mrs. Warren will be remembered as living here with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tromble. She graduated from high school here and is now a nurse at St. Joseph's Hospital, Pontiac.

Mrs. Lyle Bennett of Midland and daughter and two sons spent Monday evening at the Clayton Strehly home. They were returning from services held at Sault Ste. Marie for the little child that was killed by a bear there recently.

Esbarn Hanson, Jr. of Bay City visited his parents at Lake Margrethe, Thursday.

The Grayling Fire Department was called to the Dolph SanCarter residence at 9:30 Tuesday evening, when a car owned by Walter Strehly caught on fire.

Tracy Nelson is back on the job at the Merc, following a lengthy illness.

The exterior of the Burrows Market building is getting a new coat of paint.

Grayling has a new, new and used furniture store, in the former AuSable Potato Chip building.

BRIDGE LUNCHEON

Mrs. Esbern Hanson entertained a number of ladies with a luncheon at the "Lodge" on Wednesday last. Following luncheon the group progressed to the Hanson cottage, where bridge was enjoyed.

Mrs. George Griffith and Miss Margrethe Bauman held the first and second high score, respectively.

LOVELLS NOTES

Some of the members of Big Creek Lodge were proud to have as their guests the distinguished gentleman Senator Homer Ferguson last week.

GRANGE NOTES

The Osego County Pamaona Grange is holding a meeting Monday evening, July 19 and all subordinate granges are invited and urged to be present. The meeting is to be held at the Lakeview Grange Hall, Gaylord. Potluck lunch will be enjoyed following the meeting. W. G. Armstrong, master of the State Grange, will be there to give an instructive and interesting talk.

CARD OF THANKS

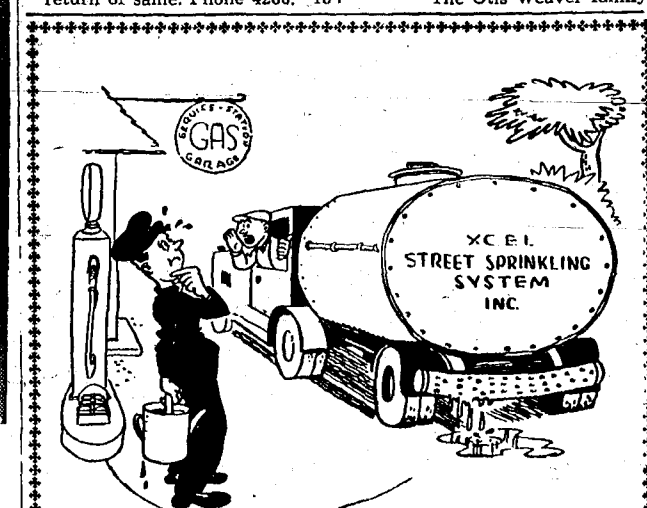
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